

REMARKS:

Reconsideration and allowance in view of the following remarks are respectfully requested.

Claim Rejections

Claims 1, 2 and 4-10 stand rejected on the ground of non statutory Obviousness-type Double Patenting as being unpatentable over claim 1 of U.S. Patent No. 6,895,601 in view of Whang. Applicant herewith submits a Terminal Disclaimer to obviate the non-statutory Obviousness-type Double Patenting rejection. Accordingly, it is believed that this rejection is deemed moot.

Allowable Subject Matter

Applicant notes with appreciation that claims 11-19 are allowed.


The Examiner states that claim 3 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim any intervening claims. As set forth above, claim 1 is now believed allowable. As a result, claim 3, which is dependent on claim 1, is also believed allowable in its current form.

Conclusion

All objections and rejections having been addressed, it is respectfully submitted that claims 1-19 are now in condition for allowance and a notice to that effect is earnestly solicited. If any issues remain to be resolved, the Examiner is cordially invited to telephone the undersigned attorney at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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